



Executive Department  
State of Idaho

*The Office of the Governor*  
**Proclamation**

State Capitol  
Boise

*WHEREAS, Space Day is the culminating event of the year-round Embrace Space educational initiative, celebrating the extraordinary achievements, benefits and opportunities in the exploration and use of space; and*

*WHEREAS, Space Day encourages people of all ages from around the globe to advance science, math and technology education, and to inspire future generations to continue the vision of our space pioneers; and*

*WHEREAS, Space Day is an exciting time for all mankind as we stand at the threshold of a new age of space science and exploration, where the vision of our forefathers will become a reality through the hopes and dreams of our young people; and*

*WHEREAS, the Embrace Space initiative is supported by more than 60 partners representing a broad cross section of educational, professional, trade associations, youth groups, corporations and space related organizations;*

*WHEREAS, Idaho will join with other organizations in celebrating Space Day through educating and communicating the excitement and importance of space in our lives;*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, DIRK KEMPTHORNE, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim May 2, 2002 to be*

**SPACE DAY**

*in Idaho.*



*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this tenth day of December in the year of our Lord two-thousand and one and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred twenty-fifth and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred eleventh.*

A handwritten signature of Dirk Kempthorne in black ink.

DIRK KEMPTHORNE  
GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature of Pete T. Cenarrusa in black ink.

PETE T. CENARRUSA  
SECRETARY OF STATE